



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below-named inventor(s), I/We hereby declare that:

My/Our residence(s), post office address(es) and citizenship(s) are as stated below my name(s). I/We verify believe I am/we are the original, first and sole/joint inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

OSTEOPONTIN, OLIGODENDROCYTES AND MYELINATION

and the specification of which is attached hereto (Aventis Docket No. **USAV2001/0172USNP**)
(check one) was filed on **June 24, 2003** as U.S. Application Number **10/602,927**
and was amended on _____ (if applicable).
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and as amended under PCT Article 19 on _____ (if any).

I/We hereby state that I/We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I/We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. 1.56.

I/We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119(a)-(d) or 365 (b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one other country other than the United States of America, listed below and having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed. I/We have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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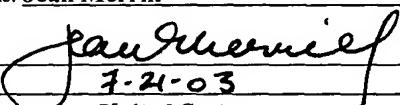
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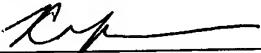
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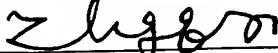
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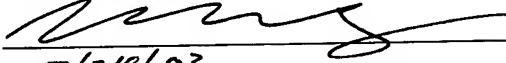
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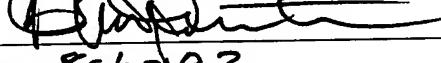
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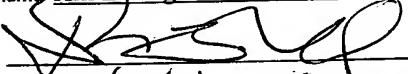
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